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Applicant

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Title

APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF FORMING SEALS

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Examiner

Bruce Bell

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REMARKS

Dear Sir:

The Applicant is filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) so that the Examiner may consider the supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) that is being filed concurrently herewith.

The Applicant submits that the filing of this supplemental IDS shall not be construed as an admission that the cited information is considered material to patentability (37 CFR 1.97(h)).

The Applicant further submits that no amendments have been made to the application and that the application was previously considered to be in a state of allowance as stated in the Notice of Allowance of March 10, 2005.

In view of the foregoing comments, it is respectfully submitted that the application remains in condition for allowance and the Applicant respectfully requests a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case. If the Examiner has any further concerns

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regarding the language of the claims or the applicability of the references submitted in the supplemental IDS, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 416-957-1603.

Respectfully submitted,

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